

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Ingemar J. Cox, et al. Examiner: A. Di Lorenzo
Serial No.: 09/294,956 Art Unit: 2766 #4
Filed: April 20, 1999 Docket: 12558
For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR Dated: May 10, 2000
INSERTING AND AUTHENTICATING
A DIGITAL SIGNATURE IN DIGITAL DATA

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

Sir:

Please approve the changes to Figures 1(A) through 1(E) of the attached drawings (2 sheets) as indicated in red ink and yellow highlighter on the copies of said drawings.

Respectfully submitted,


Thomas Spinelli
Registration No. 39,533

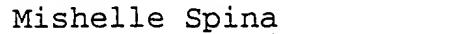
SCULLY, SCOTT, MURPHY & PRESSER
400 Garden City Plaza
Garden City, New York 11530
(516) 742-4343

TS/cm

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on May 10, 2000.

Dated: May 10, 2000


Mishelle Spina

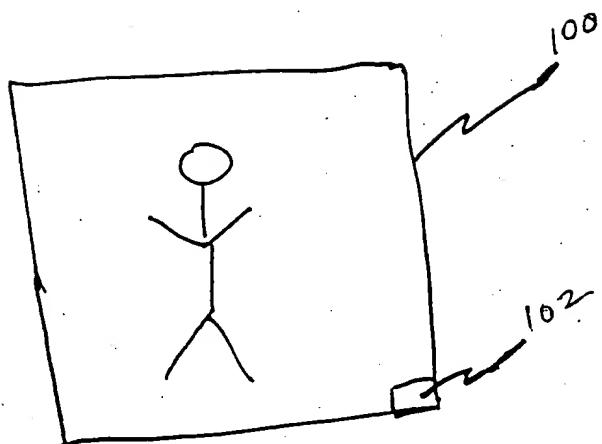


FIG. 1A
(PRIOR ART)

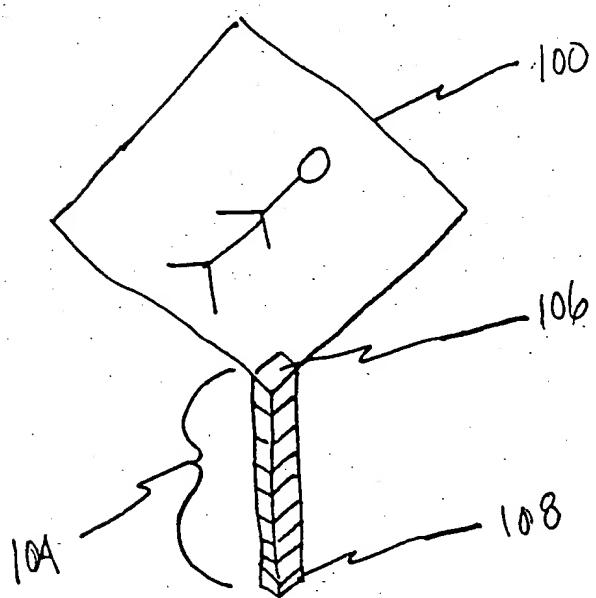


FIG. 1B
(PRIOR ART)

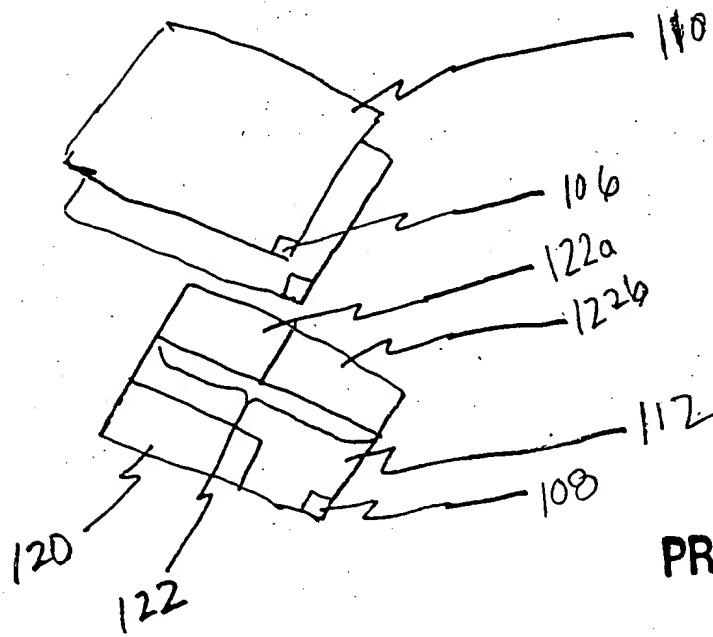


FIG. 1C
(PRIOR ART)

PROPOSED DRAWING CHANGE

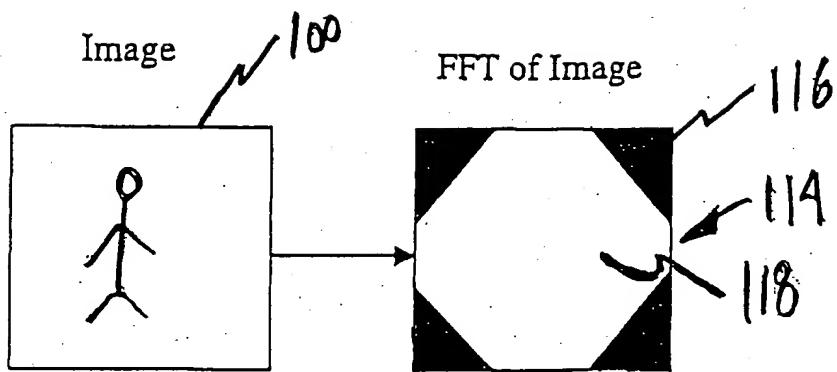


FIG. 1D (PRIOR ART)

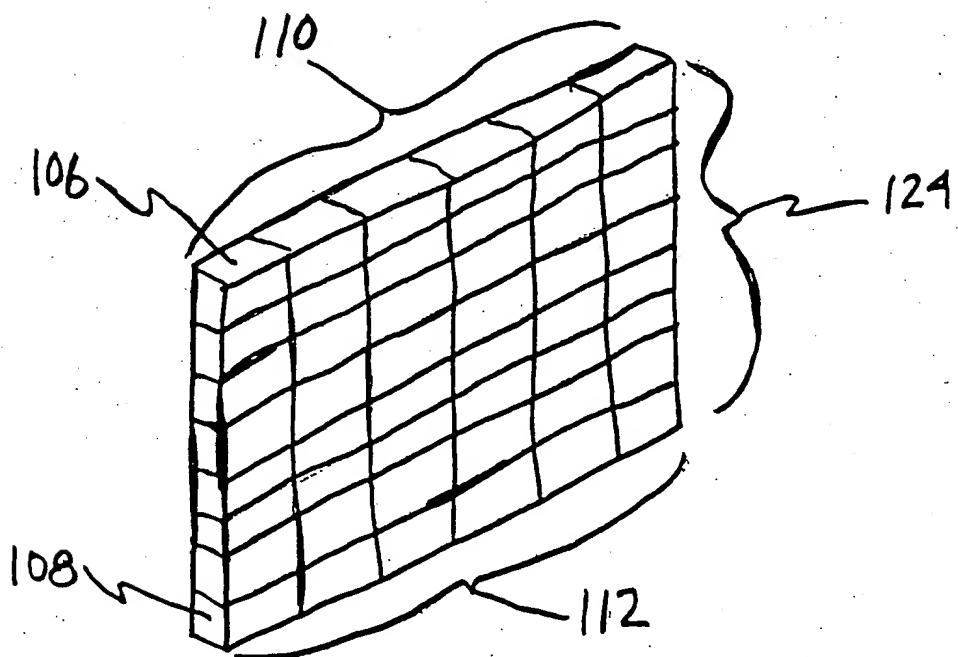


FIG. 1E PROPOSED DRAWING CHANGE
(PRIOR ART)